



2012 GENERAL

Election Date: 11/06/2012

This is an official notice of an election to be conducted in **CATAWBA** County on **11/06/2012**. This notice contains a list of all of the ballot measures and federal, State, and local offices this county expects, as of this date, to be on the ballot on the date of the election. (See Attachment)

An Election Notice will be prepared not later than 100 days before a regularly scheduled election that permits absentee voting, and as soon as practicable in the case of an election or vacancy election not regularly scheduled. For a second primary, an Election Notice will be prepared, no later than the day following the date the appropriate board of elections orders that a second primary be held.

As soon as ballot styles are printed, this county board of elections will update this notice with the certified candidates for each office and ballot measures and referenda questions that will be on the ballot. For General Elections during even-numbered years, ballots will be printed **60 days** prior to the election. For statewide primaries and other elections (except municipal elections), ballots will be printed **50 days** prior to the election. Municipal ballots are available **30 days** prior to Election Day. **You must request an updated Election Notice.**

Transmitting a Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot:

This notice may be used in conjunction with the federal write-in absentee ballot (FWAB). Covered military & overseas voters seeking to vote by absentee ballot may use the FWAB to register to vote, request an absentee ballot, and vote an official military-overseas ballot. When using the FWAB to register to vote, and/or request an absentee ballot, please transmit your signed and completed FWAB no later than **5:00 p.m. on the day before Election Day**. If submitted later than this day and time, your absentee ballot will not be counted. Federal write-in absentee ballots are available at www.NCSBE.gov. You may also request a regular absentee ballot by using the federal postcard application (FPCA), available at www.FVAP.gov. A regular ballot can be mailed, faxed or emailed to you. You may return the FWAB or a regular absentee ballot by mail, secure fax (1-919-715-0351) or email (uocava.absentee@sboe.state.nc.us).

Marking a Federal Write-in Absentee Ballot:

When marking a FWAB, for each office for which you wish to vote, write in either a candidate's name or political party designation. For ballot measures or referenda, write either "YES" (you are *for* the ballot measure or referendum) or "NO" (you are *against* the ballot measure or referendum). In a primary, if you are registered as Democrat, Republican or Libertarian, for partisan contests, you may only vote for the candidates of the party for which you are affiliated. You are also eligible to vote for non-partisan contests. If you are registered as unaffiliated ("independent"), in a primary, you may choose to vote for the partisan contests of one of the parties or you may choose to vote for non-partisan contests only. Please contact your local [board of elections](#) to confirm your party affiliation or voter registration status.

Please check the website for the NC State Board of Elections (www.NCSBE.gov) for additional information on military-overseas absentee voting.

Election Notice Of Contests and Referenda

CATAWBA BOARD OF ELECTIONS (11/06/2012)

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CANDIDATE NAME	NAME ON BALLOT	PARTY
US PRESIDENT		
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DISTRICT 05		
ELISABETH MOTSINGER	Elisabeth Motsinger	DEM
VIRGINIA FOXX	Virginia Foxx	REP
US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DISTRICT 10		
PATSY KEEVER	Patsy Keever	DEM
PATRICK MCHENRY	Patrick McHenry	REP
NC GOVERNOR		
WALTER DALTON	Walter H. Dalton	DEM
PAT MCCRORY	Pat McCrory	REP
BARBARA HOWE	Barbara Howe	LIB
NC LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR		
LINDA COLEMAN	Linda D. Coleman	DEM
DAN FOREST	Dan Forest	REP
NC ATTORNEY GENERAL		
ROY COOPER	Roy Cooper	DEM
NC AUDITOR		
BETH WOOD	Beth A. Wood	DEM
DEBRA GOLDMAN	Debra Goldman	REP
NC COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE		
WALTER SMITH	Walter Smith	DEM
STEVE TROXLER	Steve Troxler	REP
NC COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE		
GEORGE GOODWIN	Wayne Goodwin	DEM
JOHN CAUSEY	Mike Causey	REP
NC COMMISSIONER OF LABOR		
JOHN BROOKS	John C. Brooks	DEM
CHERIE BERRY	Cherie Berry	REP
NC SECRETARY OF STATE		
ELAINE MARSHALL	Elaine Marshall	DEM
EDWARD GOODWIN	Ed Goodwin	REP
NC SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION		
JUNE ATKINSON	June Atkinson	DEM
JOHN TEDESCO	John Tedesco	REP
NC TREASURER		
JANET COWELL	Janet Cowell	DEM
STEVEN ROYAL	Steve Royal	REP
NC STATE SENATE DISTRICT 42		
JOSEPH INGLEFIELD	Joseph (Jody) Inglefield	DEM
AUSTIN ALLRAN	Austin Allran	REP

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CANDIDATE NAME	NAME ON BALLOT	PARTY
NC HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DISTRICT 089		
MITCHELL SETZER	Mitchell Smith Setzer	REP
NC HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DISTRICT 096		
WALTER MOONE	Cliff Moone	DEM
WILFRED WELLS	Andy Wells	REP
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS		
STEVE HUNT	Steve O. Hunt	DEM
BARBARA BEATTY	Barbara Gail Beatty	REP
DAN HUNSUCKER	Dan A. Hunsucker	REP
REGISTER OF DEEDS		
DONNA SPENCER	Donna Hicks Spencer	REP
SUPREME COURT ASSOCIATE JUSTICE (NEWBY)		
SAMUEL ERVIN	Sam J. Ervin IV	
PAUL NEWBY	Paul Martin Newby	
COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE (MCGEE)		
LINDA MCGEE	Linda McGee	
DAVID ROBINSON	David S. Robinson	
COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE (BRYANT)		
WANDA BRYANT	Wanda Bryant	
MARTIN MCGEE	Marty McGee	
COURT OF APPEALS JUDGE (THIGPEN)		
ROBERT DILLON	Chris Dillon	
CRESSIE THIGPEN	Cressie Thigpen	
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE DISTRICT 25 (CHERRY)		
BURFORD CHERRY	Burford A. Cherry	
DISTRICT COURT JUDGE DISTRICT 25 (DELLINGER)		
GARY DELLINGER	Gary Dellinger	
COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER		
RONN ABERNATHY	Ronn Abernathy	
CAROLYN CONNOR	Carolyn Jones Connor	
MARCUS GRAVLEY	Mark Gravley	
JEFFREY HERMAN	Jeffrey A. Herman	
MARILYN MCREE	Marilyn McRee	
SUE SMOLKA	Sue Smolka	
CATHY STARNES	Cathy J. Starnes	
JENNIFER TOWNSEND	Jennifer (Jen) A. Townsend	
PAMELA WILLIAMS	Pamela (Pam) H. Williams	
SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION SUPERVISOR		
DAVID CALDWELL	David Hoyle Caldwell	
PAUL DEYO	Paul Deyo	
VANCE PROCTOR	Vance C. Proctor, Jr.	